

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
Joseph Asher, <i>et. al.</i>)	Art Unit: 3625
Application No: 10/816,238)	Confirmation No.: 9139
Filed: April 1, 2004)	
For: ELECTRONIC SILENT AUCTION)	Examiner: Robert Pond
SYSTEMS AND METHODS)	
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for a two-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated April 6, 2007.

The Commissioner of Patents is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-3938 in connection with the petition for extension of time. The Commissioner of Patents is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 in connection with the present application, or credit any overpayment of same to Deposit Account No. 50-3938.

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action mailed on April 6, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows. Changes to the claims are shown by strikethrough (for deleted matter) and underlining (for added matter).

Amendments to the Claims begin on page **2** of this paper.

Remarks begin on page **8** of this paper.